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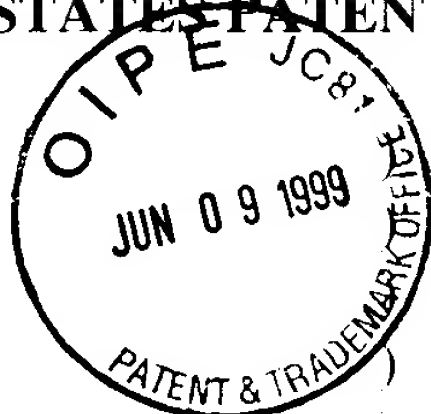
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NOVEL DNA SEQUENCE WITH
BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY



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SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified

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IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as follows:

At page 1, please delete lines 3-7, and insert in their place the following:

"This application is a continuation of U.S.S.N. 08/316,415, filed September 30, 1994, now U.S. Patent No. 5,824,469, which is a continuation of U.S.S.N. 08/105,108, filed